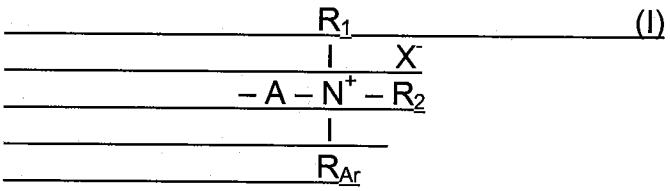
Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application and reflects the amendment of claim 1, cancellation of claims 3 and 5 and addition of new claims 32 and 33.

Listing of Claims:

1. **(Currently Amended)** A process for production of paper from an aqueous suspension containing cellulosic fibres, and optionally fillers, which comprises adding to the suspension a cationised polysaccharide product comprising a polysaccharide having

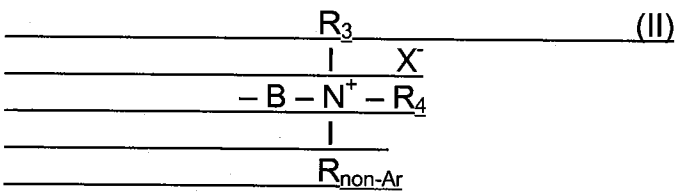
(i) at least one first cationic ~~or anionic~~ substituent having an aromatic group comprising the following general structural formula (I):



(I)

wherein A is a group attaching N to the polysaccharide, R_1 and R_2 are individually H or alkyl having from 1 to 3 carbon atoms, R_{Ar} is an aromatic group containing 1 to 12 carbon atoms, or, alternatively, R_1, R_2, and R_{Ar} together with N form an aromatic group, and X^- is a counterion; and

(ii) at least one second substituent having no aromatic group comprising the general structural formula (II):



(II)

wherein B is a group attaching N to the polysaccharide, R_3 and R_4 are individually H or alkyl having from 1 to 3 carbon atoms; $R_{non\text{-}Ar}$ is a non-aromatic group containing 1 to 4 carbon atoms; and X^- is a counterion,

forming and draining the suspension on a wire, the molar ratio of first substituent to second substituent being from 10:1 to 1:10.

2. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein the polysaccharide has a cationic charge density within the range of from 0.05 to 4.0 meq/g.

3. **(Cancelled)**

4. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein the first substituent comprises a benzyl group.

5. **(Cancelled)**

6. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein first substituent comprises – CH_2–CH(OH)–CH_2–$N^+((CH_3)_2)CH_2C_6H_5$ Cl^- and the second substituent comprises – CH_2–CH(OH)–CH_2–$N^+((CH_3)_3)$ Cl^-.

7. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein the polysaccharide comprises cationised starch, cationised guar gum, or a mixture thereof.

8. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein it further comprises adding at least one anionic material to the suspension.

9. **(Original)** The process of claim 8, wherein the anionic material comprises silica-based particles or clay of smectite type.

10. **(Original)** The process of claim 9, wherein the anionic material comprises silica-based particles having a specific surface area of at least 100 m^2/g that are present in a sol having an S value in the range of from 5 to 50%.

11. **(Previously Presented)** The process of claim 8, wherein the anionic material comprises an anionic organic step-growth polymer.

12. **(Original)** The process of claim 11, wherein the anionic material comprises an anionic organic step-growth polymer which is a naphthalene sulphonate. .

13. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein the process further comprising recirculating white water and optionally introducing fresh water to form a suspension containing cellulosic fibres, and optional fillers, to be dewatered, the amount of fresh water introduced being less than 30 tonnes per tonne of dry paper produced.

14. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein it further comprises adding to the suspension a cationic polyacrylamide.

15. **(Original)** The process of claim 1, wherein it further comprises adding to the suspension a low molecular weight cationic synthetic organic polymer.

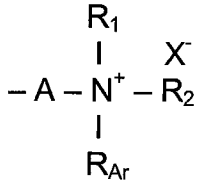
16. **(Withdrawn)** A process for production of paper from an aqueous suspension containing cellulosic fibres, and optionally fillers, which comprises adding to the suspension a cationised polysaccharide product comprising

(i) a polysaccharide having at least one first substituent having an aromatic group; and

(ii) a polysaccharide having at least one second substituent having no aromatic group,

forming and draining the suspension on a wire.

17. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the first substituent comprises the following general structural formula (I):

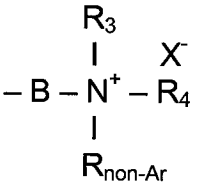


(I)

wherein A is a group attaching N to the polysaccharide, R_1 and R_2 are individually H or alkyl having from 1 to 3 carbon atoms, R_{Ar} is an aromatic group containing 1 to 12 carbon atoms, or, alternatively, R_1, R_2, and R_{Ar} together with N form an aromatic group, and X^- is a counterion.

18. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the first substituent comprises a benzyl group.

19. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the second substituent comprises the general structural formula (II):



(I)

wherein B is a group attaching N to the polysaccharide, R_3 and R_4 are individually H or alkyl having from 1 to 3 carbon atoms; $R_{non\text{-}Ar}$ is a non-aromatic group containing 1 to 4 carbon atoms; and X^- is a counterion.

20. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein first substituent comprises $-CH_2-CH(OH)-CH_2-N^+((CH_3)_2)CH_2C_6H_5$ Cl^- and the second substituent comprises $-CH_2-CH(OH)-CH_2-N^+((CH_3)_3)$ Cl^-.

21. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the polysaccharide comprises cationised starch, cationised guar gum, or a mixture thereof.

22. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein it further comprises adding at least one anionic material to the suspension.

23. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 22, wherein the anionic material comprises silica-based particles or clay of smectite type.

24. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 23, wherein the anionic material comprises silica-based particles having a specific surface area of at least 100 m^2/g that are present in a sol having an S value in the range of from 5 to 50%.

25. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the anionic material comprises an anionic organic step-growth polymer.

26. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 25, wherein the anionic material comprises an anionic organic step-growth polymer which is a naphthalene sulphonate. .

27. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the polysaccharides are separately added to the suspension.

28. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein the polysaccharides are added simultaneously to the suspension.

29. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein it further comprises adding to the suspension a cationic polyacrylamide.

30. **(Withdrawn)** The process of claim 16, wherein it further comprises adding to the suspension a low molecular weight cationic synthetic organic polymer.

31. **(Previously Presented)** The process of claim 1, wherein the molar ratio of first substituent to second substituent is from 7:1 to 1:7.

32. **(New)** The process of claim 31, wherein the molar ratio of first substituent to second substituent is from 3:1 to 1:3.

33. **(New)** The process of claim 32, wherein the molar ratio of first substituent to second substituent is from 2:1 to 1:2.